

Alaska Workforce Investment Board Workforce Readiness and Employment & Placement Committee Report May 21, 2008

The Workforce Readiness, Employment & Placement committee met twice since the last AWIB board meeting in February, 2008. The committee worked on identifying milestones, resources and success measures were identified for the following top three priorities;

- 1. Improve applied academic, technical and employability skills of the workforce.
- 2. Collaborate with business/industry and training providers to conduct a comprehensive needs assessment that sets training needs and priorities based on the gaps between supply and demand for the high demand short and long-term employment.
- 3. Develop a more interactive relationship with business, community training providers and one stop centers.

The committee drafted a resolution in support of employability skill standards and assessments for approval by the AWIB

The Ad Hoc Training Template committee worked on a draft template for the next board meeting.